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This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

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TITLE OF THE INVENTION

Methods For Producing Polypeptides In Aspergillus Mutant Cells

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The benefit of U.S. application no. 09/472,364 filed on December 23, 1999 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

An application data sheet is enclosed.

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